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**2011 Summer Interpretive Programs
Grand Mesa Visitor Center
Grand Mesa, Uncompahgre, Gunnison
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2011 Interpretive Programs

Dippers & Divers (Birds) slide show

Saturday, July 2nd- 6:30 P.M.

Presentation by Evelyn Horn. Indoor slide show.

All about Beavers

Saturday, July 9th-1:00 P.M.

Presentation by Cary Atwood

Live Like A Ute

Saturday, July 16th-1:00 P.M.

Hands on activities: throw a atlatl, grind seeds and more... Presentation by Sally Crum, Archeologist

Grand Mesa Discovery Trail Walk

Saturday, July 23rd- 1:00 P.M.

Come along on this easy walk through the woods to discover the birds, other wildlife and plants that grow and survive atop Grand Mesa and how they are especially adapted for life at this high elevation. A Naturalist will be on duty all day to answer questions. Presenter Cary Atwood.

Moose Day

Saturday, July 30th- 10 A.M.-4 P.M.

Presented by the Colorado Division of Wildlife and U. S. Forest Service. All day activities for the whole family to learn about the Grand Mesa's new moose population.

The Painted Forest

Saturday, August 6th- 10 A.M.-4 P.M.

Artist's Day, local artists will have their paintings on display (available for purchase). Artists will also be on hand to teach basic painting techniques.

Smokey Bear's Birthday Celebration

Tuesday, August 9th- 10:00 A.M.-3:00 P.M.

Join in on the fun of celebrating Smokey's 66th Birthday.

Mesa County Search & Rescue: Hug a tree

Saturday, August 13th- 1:00 P.M.

Mesa County Search & Rescue will provide program on how to be prepared for your forest visit. All ages

Coyotes: North American's Misunderstood Dog

Saturday, August 20th-1:00 P.M.

Explore the behaviors, calls, adaptations, myths and realities of this wild dog. Come to understand its' special place in nature. Presenter Cary Atwood.

American Indian Drummer

Saturday August 27th- 1:00 P.M.

Presentation by Tim Trujillo

Color Sunday

Sunday, September 25th- 9 A.M.-5 P.M.

All day events across the Mesa, with appearances from Smokey Bear and Woodsy Owl. Rocky Mountain Nature Association book sale.

Attractions at the Grand Mesa Visitor Center: The U.S. Forest Service is thrilled to be partnering with Rocky Mountain Nature Association and A-N-G Fly Fishing Guide Service. RMNA brings an extensive inventory of educational information and products that will be helpful, informative and enjoyable to our visitors. Having A-N-G Fly Fishing as a retailer at the Visitor Center will provide folks an opportunity to pickup outdoor products they need and to purchase items to aid their fishing to over 300 reservoirs on the Grand Mesa.



Grand Mesa Visitor Center hours:
Opening May 28th, 2011 through
September 25th, 2011.
7 days a week 9am-5pm
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